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REMARKS

Applicant thanks the Office for indicating that claims 1-6, 13-16, 21-26, and 33-36 are allowed. In view of this indication of allowability, Applicant has canceled the rejected claims so that only the allowed claimed remain pending. These amendments have been made to place this application into condition for allowance.

More particularly, claims 1-40 were originally pending. Claims 7-12, 17-20, 27-32, and 37-40 have been canceled without prejudice. No claims have been amended or added. Accordingly, allowed claims 1-6, 13-16, 21-26, and 33-36 are currently pending.

Accordingly, withdrawal of all outstanding rejections and allowance of the application is respectfully requested. Should any issue remain that prevents allowance of the application, the Office is encouraged to contact the undersigned prior or issuance of a subsequent Office action.

Respectfully Submitted,

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